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Sir.

REQUEST FOR CERTIFICATE OF CORRECTION

Pursuant to 35 U.S.C. § 254, and 37 C.F.R. § 1.322, this is a Request for a Certificate of Correction in the above-identified patent. The mistakes identified in the appended PTO Form 1050 occurred through the fault of the Patent Office, as clearly disclosed by the records of the application which matured into this patent.

One (1) copy of PTO Form 1050 is appended and the complete Certificate of Correction involves one (1) page. Issuance of the Certificate of Correction containing the correction is earnestly requested. Please charge any required fees not included herewith to our Deposit Account No. 06-0916.

Respectfully submitted,

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It is hereby certified that an error or errors appear in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent is hereby corrected as shown below:

In claim 1, col. 14, line 25, "Flaky" should read -- flaky --.

In claim 4, col. 14, line 54, "0.5" should read -- 1.0 --.